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Roch Boivin *et al.*

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### **AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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Dear Sir:

### **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated June 23, 2009, finally rejecting claims 1, 3-22, 43 and 66, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 17 of this paper.